



**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**  
**Examining Group Number 2100**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title: SECURE PRINTING SYSTEM AND METHOD

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment and Response is in reply to the Final Office Action mailed August 26, 2005. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: